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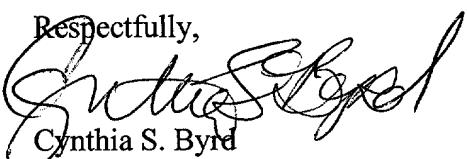
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11 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
 5 Pages of Claims  
 5 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Informal)  
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